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SUBJECT: ASSISTANCE TO RWANDAN ARMY

REF: KIGALI 661

1. DISAPPOINTED TO LEARN OF IMPENDING VISIT OF RWANDAN
MILITARY MISSION. NONETHELESS, WE WILL DO EVERYTHING
POSSIBLE TO ENSURE THAT VISIT GOES WELL, EVEN IF RESULT
CERTAIN TO BE MEAGER.

2. IN ADDITION TO UNLIKELY AID AND FMS POSSIBILITIES,
DEPARTMENT WILL DISCUSS GRANT TRAINING WITH MISSION UNDER
INTERNATIONAL MILITARY EDUCATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM. IN
ORDER TO PARTICIPATE INDIVIDUAL OFFICERS MUST PASS
STANDARD ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMPETENCE TEST. DOES RWANDAN
ARMY CONTAIN ENGLISH QUALIFIED OFFICERS? IMET COURSES
ARE USUALLY THREE TO SIX MONTHS DURATION.

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3. IF NO ENGLISH QUALIFIED OFFICERS EXIST, RWANDAN
PARTICIPANTS MIGHT STILL EVENTUALLY BE ENROLLED AFTER
SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING ENGLISH COURSES AT USG SCHOOL IN
DAKAR. THIS IS MORE ARDUOUS ROUTE AS ADDITIONAL
DECISIONS AND FINANCING ARE REQUIRED.

2. MARK REPLY FOR AF ONLY. VANCE

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